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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Art Unit 3736 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted with this communication in connection with the above-identified application are the following:

 A Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 to the Office Action dated 05/20/2004
 A Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 to the Office Action dated
 A Petition for an Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136.
Applicant(s) qualify for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. &1.27

	An Information Disclosure Statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56.
The fee associa	ated with this communication has been calculated as shown below:
	No fee is required with this communication.
	Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 has been established.
	A fee for extension of time for response under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 filed within 1 month(s) after the original time for response of \$55.00 is due.
	A fee of \$180.00 is due for the submission of the accompanying Information Disclosure Statement.
	A fee for addition of claims under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 is due as follows:

FEES	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate Small Entity Than Small		Total
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	_28* -	20 **	_8_	X X	\$ 9.00 \$ 18.00	72.00 \$
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	<u>11</u> *-	_ 5 _***	_6	X X	\$ 43.00 \$ 86.00	258.00 \$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))			++	\$145.00 \$290.00	0.00 \$	
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Respectfully submitted,

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